

Township of Lynn
St. Clair County, Michigan

Audited Financial Report
March 31, 2006

Auditing Procedures Report

Issued under P.A. 2 of 1966, as amended and P.A. 71 of 1919, as amended.

Local Unit of Government Type <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> City <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Twp <input type="checkbox"/> Village <input type="checkbox"/> Other		Local Unit Name Lynn Township	County St. Clair County
Fiscal Year End March 31, 2006	Opinion Date July 10, 2006	Date Audit Report Submitted to State July 31, 2006	

We affirm that:

We are certified public accountants licensed to practice in Michigan.


We further affirm the following material, "no" responses have been disclosed in the financial statements, including the notes, or in the Management Letter (report of comments and recommendations).

YES NO Check each applicable box below. (See instructions for further detail.)

1. ☒ ☐ All required component units/funds/agencies of the local unit are included in the financial statements and/or disclosed in the reporting entity notes to the financial statements as necessary.
2. ☒ ☐ There are no accumulated deficits in one or more of this unit's unreserved fund balances/unrestricted net assets (P.A. 275 of 1980) or the local unit has not exceeded its budget for expenditures.
3. ☒ ☐ The local unit is in compliance with the Uniform Chart of Accounts issued by the Department of Treasury.
4. ☒ ☐ The local unit has adopted a budget for all required funds.
5. ☒ ☐ A public hearing on the budget was held in accordance with State statute.
6. ☒ ☐ The local unit has not violated the Municipal Finance Act, an order issued under the Emergency Municipal Loan Act, or other guidance as issued by the Local Audit and Finance Division.
7. ☒ ☐ The local unit has not been delinquent in distributing tax revenues that were collected for another taxing unit.
8. ☒ ☐ The local unit only holds deposits/investments that comply with statutory requirements.
9. ☒ ☐ The local unit has no illegal or unauthorized expenditures that came to our attention as defined in the *Bulletin for Audits of Local Units of Government in Michigan*, as revised (see Appendix H of Bulletin).
10. ☒ ☐ There are no indications of defalcation, fraud or embezzlement, which came to our attention during the course of our audit that have not been previously communicated to the Local Audit and Finance Division (LAFD). If there is such activity that has not been communicated, please submit a separate report under separate cover.
11. ☒ ☐ The local unit is free of repeated comments from previous years.
12. ☒ ☐ The audit opinion is UNQUALIFIED.
13. ☒ ☐ The local unit has complied with GASB 34 or GASB 34 as modified by MCGAA Statement #7 and other generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).
14. ☒ ☐ The board or council approves all invoices prior to payment as required by charter or statute.
15. ☒ ☐ To our knowledge, bank reconciliations that were reviewed were performed timely.

If a local unit of government (authorities and commissions included) is operating within the boundaries of the audited entity and is not included in this or any other audit report, nor do they obtain a stand-alone audit, please enclose the name(s), address(es), and a description(s) of the authority and/or commission.

I, the undersigned, certify that this statement is complete and accurate in all respects.

We have enclosed the following:	Enclosed	Not Required (enter a brief justification)	
Financial Statements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
The letter of Comments and Recommendations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Other (Describe)	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Certified Public Accountant (Firm Name) Lehn L. King, C.P.A.	Telephone Number 989-635-3113		
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Authorizing CPA Signature 	Printed Name Lehn King	License Number A248781	

Township of Lynn
Annual Financial Report
For The Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2006

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Members of the Township Board
Lynn Township
St. Clair, Michigan

Independent Auditor's Report

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Lynn, Michigan as of and for the year ended March 31, 2006, which collectively comprise the Township's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Township of Lynn, Michigan's management. My responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluation the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinions.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Township of Lynn, Michigan as of March 31, 2006 and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis, and the budgetary comparison schedules, as identified in the table of contents, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplemental information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. I have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplemental information. However, I did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

The Audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Township of Lynn, Michigan's basic financial statements. The accompanying other supplemental information, as identified in the table of contents, is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The other supplemental information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

As described in Note 1, the Township has implemented a new financial reporting model, as required by the provisions of GASB Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis - for State and Local Governments*, and related statements, as of April 1, 2004.

Lehn King

Lehn L. King
Certified Public Accountant

July 10, 2006

Township of Lynn

St. Clair County, Michigan

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS LETTER

Our discussion and analysis of the Township of Lynn's financial performance provides an overview of the Township's financial activities for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2006. Please read it in conjunction with the Township's financial statements.

Financial Highlights

The Township is in a good financial position with a General Fund Balance of \$358,695.

Using this Report

This annual report is presented in a format consistent with the presentation requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No.34. GASB Statement 34 implements a new model of financial reporting for state and local governments designed to enhance the usefulness of the Township's annual report.

The Township as a Whole

The Township of Lynn's fund balances are as follows:

	March 31, 2006	March 31, 2005
General Fund	\$ 358,695	\$ 318,834
Park Fund	32,260	26,864
Road Fund	48,738	45,626
Total for Township	<u>\$ 439,693</u>	<u>\$ 391,324</u>

Township of Lynn

St. Clair County, Michigan

Governmental Activities

The Township of Lynn's Revenues and Expenditures can be summarized as follows:

	General Fund	Park Fund	Road Fund	Total Governmental Activities
Fund Balance - Beginning of Year	\$ 318,834	\$ 26,864	\$ 45,626	\$ 391,324
Revenue Collected				
Intergovernmental Revenue	80,169	4,501	-	84,670
Property Taxes	30,943	-	36,785	67,728
Special Assessments	-	-	-	-
Charges for Services	5,155	-	-	5,155
Transfers	-	2,450	-	2,450
Other	18,265	894	1,008	20,167
Total Revenue Collected	134,532	7,845	37,793	180,170
Expenditures				
General Government	61,772	-	-	61,772
Public Safety	28,831	-	-	28,831
Public Works	2,233	-	34,681	36,914
Recreation & Culture	-	2,450	-	2,450
Capital Outlay	-	-	-	-
Transfers	1,836	-	-	1,836
Total Expenditures	94,672	2,450	34,681	131,803
Fund Balance - End of Year	<u>\$ 358,694</u>	<u>\$ 32,259</u>	<u>\$ 48,738</u>	<u>\$ 439,691</u>

Township of Lynn

Imlay City, Michigan

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget and Rates

The Township of Lynn's General Fund budget for next year is approximately the same budget as a year ago.

Contacting the Township

This report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers and creditors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to demonstrate the Township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Township office at 7280 Cade Road, Imlay City, Michigan or by telephone at (810) 387-9513.

Steve Kalbfleisch
Township of Lynn Supervisor

Township of Lynn
Statement of Net Assets (Deficit)
March 31, 2006

	Primary Government Governmental Activities
<u>Assets</u>	
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 444,670.78
Property Taxes Receivable	8,482.74
Due From Other Funds	<u>2,072.92</u>
Total Assets	455,226.44
<u>Liabilities</u>	
Accounts Payable	\$ 209.26
Due To Other Funds	<u>15,325.00</u>
<u>Total Liabilities</u>	<u>15,534.26</u>
Net Assets (Deficit)	
Restricted:	
Restricted for Parks	32,259.66
Restricted for Road Maintenance	48,737.75
Unrestricted	<u>358,694.77</u>
<u>Total Net Assets (Deficit)</u>	<u><u>\$ 439,692.18</u></u>

The notes are an integral part of the statements.

Township of Lynn
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended March 31, 2006

		Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue & Changes in Net Assets
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants & Contributions	Capital Grants & Contributions	Primary Government Governmental Activities
<u>Functions/Programs</u>	<u>Expenses</u>				
Primary Government:					
Governmental Activities:					
General Government	\$ 61,771.78	\$ 1,421.40	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (60,350.38)
Public Safety	28,830.64	3,733.31	-	-	(25,097.33)
Public Works	36,913.26	-	-	-	(36,913.26)
Recreation & Culture	2,450.00	-	-	-	(2,450.00)
Interest on Long-Term Debt	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Total Governmental Activities</u>	<u>\$ 129,965.68</u>	<u>\$ 5,154.71</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>(124,810.97)</u>
General Revenues:					
Property Taxes					\$ 67,727.94
State Shared Revenues					84,670.10
Interest					14,079.65
Other Revenues					6,086.99
Transfers					614.42
Total General Revenues, Special Items & Transfers					<u>173,179.10</u>
Change in Net Assets					48,368.13
Net Assets (Deficit) - Beginning of Year					<u>391,324.05</u>
Net Assets (Deficit) - End of Year					<u>\$ 439,692.18</u>

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Township of Lynn

Governmental Funds

Balance Sheet

March 31, 2006

	General Fund	Park Fund	Road Fund	Totals Governmental Funds
<u>Assets</u>				
Cash & Certificates of Deposit	\$ 368,280.60	\$ 32,259.66	\$ 44,130.52	\$ 444,670.78
Property Taxes Receivable	3,875.51	-	4,607.23	8,482.74
Due From Tax Account	2,072.92	-	-	2,072.92
 <u>Total Assets</u>	 <u>\$ 374,229.03</u>	 <u>\$ 32,259.66</u>	 <u>\$ 48,737.75</u>	 <u>\$ 455,226.44</u>
 <u>Liabilities & Fund Equity</u>				
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Accrued Payroll Taxes	\$ 209.26	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 209.26
Due To Other Funds	15,325.00	-	-	15,325.00
 <u>Total Liabilities</u>	 <u>15,534.26</u>	 <u>-</u>	 <u>-</u>	 <u>15,534.26</u>
 <u>Fund Equity</u>				
Fund Balances				
Reserved - Parks	-	32,259.66	-	32,259.66
Reserved - Road Maintenance	-	-	48,737.75	48,737.75
Undesignated - Unreserved	358,694.77	-	-	358,694.77
<u>Total Fund Balances</u>	<u>358,694.77</u>	<u>32,259.66</u>	<u>48,737.75</u>	<u>439,692.18</u>
 <u>Total Liabilities & Fund Equity</u>	 <u>\$ 374,229.03</u>	 <u>\$ 32,259.66</u>	 <u>\$ 48,737.75</u>	 <u>\$ 455,226.44</u>

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Township of Lynn
Governmental Funds
Reconciliation of Fund Balances to the
Statement of Net Assets (Deficit)
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

Total Fund Balances for Governmental Funds	\$ 439,692.18
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Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of
Net Assets (Deficit) are different because:

No Reconciling Items	<u>-</u>
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Net Assets of Governmental Activities	<u><u>\$ 439,692.18</u></u>
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Township of Lynn
Governmental Funds
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, And Changes
in Fund Balances
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

	General Fund	Park Fund	Road Fund	Totals Governmental Funds
<u>Revenues</u>				
Property Taxes	\$ 30,942.77	\$ -	\$ 36,785.17	\$ 67,727.94
State Shared Revenue	80,169.00	-	-	80,169.00
County Shared Park	-	4,501.10	-	4,501.10
Charges for Services	5,154.71	-	-	5,154.71
Interest Earnings	12,177.98	894.13	1,007.54	14,079.65
Other Revenues	6,086.99	-	-	6,086.99
<u>Total Revenues</u>	<u>134,531.45</u>	<u>5,395.23</u>	<u>37,792.71</u>	<u>177,719.39</u>
<u>Expenditures</u>				
General Government	61,771.78	-	-	61,771.78
Public Safety	28,830.64	-	-	28,830.64
Publics Works	2,232.55	-	34,680.71	36,913.26
Recreation & Culture	-	2,450.00	-	2,450.00
Capital Outlay	-	-	-	-
<u>Total Expenditures</u>	<u>92,834.97</u>	<u>2,450.00</u>	<u>34,680.71</u>	<u>129,965.68</u>
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	41,696.48	2,945.23	3,112.00	47,753.71
<u>Other Financing Sources (Uses)</u>				
Operating Transfers In (Out)	(1,835.58)	2,450.00	-	614.42
Net Change in Fund Balances	39,860.90	5,395.23	3,112.00	48,368.13
<u>Fund Balances - Beginning of Year</u>	<u>318,833.87</u>	<u>26,864.43</u>	<u>45,625.75</u>	<u>391,324.05</u>
<u>Fund Balances - End of Year</u>	<u>\$ 358,694.77</u>	<u>\$ 32,259.66</u>	<u>\$ 48,737.75</u>	<u>\$ 439,692.18</u>

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Township of Lynn
Governmental Funds
Reconciliation of Statement of Revenues, Expenditures,
and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds
to the Statement of Activities
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$ 48,368.13
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Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of
Activities are different because:

No Reconciling Items	<u>-</u>
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Net Assets of Governmental Activities	<u><u>\$ 48,368.13</u></u>
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Township of Lynn
Statement of Net Assets (Deficit)
Fiduciary Funds
March 31, 2006

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Trust Funds</u>	<u>Agency Funds</u>
Cash & Certificate of Deposit	\$ 400.00	\$ 2,253.62
Due From Other Funds	15,325.00	-
<u>Total Assets</u>	15,725.00	<u>\$ 2,253.62</u>
 <u>Liabilities</u>		
Due To Other Funds	-	\$ 2,072.92
Due To Others	-	180.70
<u>Total Liabilities</u>	-	<u>\$ 2,253.62</u>
 <u>Net Assets</u>		
Held in Trust for Cemetery Perpetual Care	15,725.00	
Unreserved - Undesignated	-	
<u>Total Net Assets</u>	<u>\$ 15,725.00</u>	

The notes are an integral part of the statements.

Township of Lynn
Statement of Changes in Net Assets
Fiduciary Funds
March 31, 2006

	Trust Funds
<u>Additions</u>	
Interest Income - Perpetual Care	\$ 614.42
Sale of Lots - Perpetual Care	400.00
<u>Total Additions</u>	<u>1,014.42</u>
<u>Deductions</u>	
Contribution To (From) Other Funds	614.42
<u>Total Deductions</u>	<u>614.42</u>
<u>Net Increase</u>	400.00
<u>Net Assets - Beginning of Year</u>	<u>15,325.00</u>
<u>Net Assets - End of Year</u>	<u><u>\$ 15,725.00</u></u>

The notes are an integral part of the statements.

Township of Lynn
Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

The accounting methods and procedures adopted by the Township of Lynn, St. Clair County, Michigan, conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applied to governmental entities. The following notes to the financial statements are an integral part of the Townships Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Financial Reporting Entity

The Township was incorporated under the laws of the State of Michigan and operates as a General Law Township, with a Township Board form of government. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the Township (the primary government) and its component units. The component units discussed below are included in the Township reporting entity because of the significance of their operational or financial relationships with the Township.

Component Units - In accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, there are no component units of Government required to be included in the Financial Reporting Entity either as blended component units or discretely presented component units.

Government-wide and Fund Statements Fund

The Government-wide Financial Statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Assets (Deficit) and the Statement of Activities) report information on all the nonfiduciary activities of the Township (the primary government). The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function (governmental activities) or identifiable activity (business-type activities) are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or activity. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or activity; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or activity. Taxes and other revenue items properly excluded from program revenues are reported as general revenue.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the Government-wide Financial Statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

The Township reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the Township's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Park Fund - This fund is set up for the development and maintenance of the Township Park. It is primarily funded through the collection of the county voted millage for parks.

Road Fund - This fund is set up for the construction and maintenance of Township roads. It is primarily funded through the collection of a voted millage for roads.

Additionally, the Township reports the following fund types:

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund - The purpose of this fund is to account for money which is set aside for the future maintenance expenses of the Township cemetery.

Township of Lynn
Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

Trust & Agency Funds - The Trust & Agency Fund accounts for assets held by the Township in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, organizations, or other governments.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The Government-wide Financial Statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental Fund Financial Statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become susceptible to accrual - that is, when they become both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period, generally collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Revenues susceptible to accrual include property taxes, intergovernmental revenues, special assessments, licenses, charges for services, and interest. All other revenue items are considered to be available only when cash is received by the Township. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Cash - The Township does not pool cash resources of its various funds to facilitate the management of cash. Cash applicable to a particular fund is readily identifiable. The balance in the cash accounts is available to meet current operating requirements. Cash in excess of current requirements is invested in various interest-bearing securities and disclosed as part of the Township's investments.

Investments - Debt securities are valued at cost since it is generally the policy of the Township to hold such investments until they mature.

Due to and Due From Other Funds - Interfund receivables and payables arise from interfund transactions and are recorded by all funds affected in the period in which transactions are executed. Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

Property Tax Revenues - Property taxes are levied on December 1 based on the assessed value of property as listed on the previous December 31. Assessed values are an approximation of market value. A revaluation of all real property must be made every year.

Vacation, Sick Leave, & Other Compensated Absences - The Township does not have any contracts or agreements with its employees or elected officials which require the payment of compensation during absence from duty nor do any such benefits vest to the right of the employee or elected official.

Capital Assets - Capital assets, which include buildings and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental column in the Government-wide Financial Statements. Capital assets are defined by the Township as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$1,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

Township of Lynn
Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Buildings & Building Improvements	20 to 50 years
Machinery & Equipment	3 to 20 years

Long-Term Obligations - In the Government-wide Financial Statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund statement of net assets. Bond premiums and discounts, issuance costs, and the deferred amount on refunding are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount and deferred amount on refunding. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs are reported as debt service expenditures.

Fund Equity - In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Accounting Changes

GASB Statement No. 34 – Effective April 1, 2004, the Township implemented the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis - for State and Local Governments* (GASB No. 34). Changes to the Township's financial statements as a result of GASB No. 34 are as follows:

- A management's discussion and analysis (MD&A) section providing analysis of the Township's overall financial position and results of operations has been included.
- Government-wide Financial Statements (statement of net assets (deficit) and statement of activities) prepared using full accrual accounting for all of the Township's activities have been provided.
- Capital assets in the governmental activities column of the statement of net assets (deficit) includes assets not previously accounted for by the Township as well as assets previously reported in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. In addition, the governmental activities column includes bonds and other long-term obligations previously reported in the General Long-term Debt Account Group.
- The fund financial statements focus on major funds rather than fund types.

Township of Lynn
Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

2. Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability

Budgetary Information

The Township is legally subject to the budgetary control requirements of State of Michigan P.A. 621 of 1978 (the Uniform Budgeting Act). The following statements represent a brief synopsis of the major provisions of this Act:

1. Budgets must be adopted for the General Fund and Special Revenue Funds.
2. The budgets must be balanced. The balanced budget may include a contribution to or appropriation from fund balance.
3. The budgets must be amended when necessary.
4. Debt cannot be entered into unless permitted by law.
5. Expenditures cannot exceed budget appropriations.
6. Expenditures cannot be made unless authorized in the budget.
7. Public hearings must be held before budget adoptions.

In the body of the financial statements, the Township actual expenditures and budgeted expenditures for the budgetary funds have been shown on a functional basis. The budget is used by the Township Board as a management tool during the year for all budgetary funds. The budgets are adopted on a cash basis, which is not consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Budgetary control is exercised at the departmental level. Budgets for the General Fund and the Special Revenue Funds are presented in the required supplemental information.

During the year ended March 31, 2006, the Township incurred expenditures in certain budgetary funds which were in excess of the amounts appropriated, as follows:

	Total <u>Appropriations</u>		Amount of <u>Expenditures</u>		Budget <u>Variance</u>
<u>General Fund</u>					
Transfers Out	\$ 200	\$	1,836	\$	1,636
<u>Park Fund</u>					
Recreation & Culture	-		2,450		2,450

Township of Lynn
Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

3. Cash and Investments

Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 129.91, authorizes the Local Unit to deposit and invest in the accounts of Federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations; bonds, securities and other direct obligations of the United States, or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; United States government or Federal agency obligation repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptance of United States banks; commercial paper rated by two standard rating agencies within the two highest classifications, which mature not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions which are rated investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan. Financial institutions eligible for deposit of public funds must maintain an office in Michigan.

The Township Board has designated three banks for the deposit of Township funds. The investment policy adopted by the Board is in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997. The Board has authorized investment in bank accounts and CDs, but not the remainder of State statutory authority as listed above. The Township's deposits are in accordance with statutory authority. All cash deposits and investments of the Township are held by the Township in the Township's name.

At year end, the deposits and investments were reported in the basic financial statements in the following categories:

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Fiduciary - Trust & Agency Funds</u>	<u>Total Primary Government</u>
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 444,671	\$ 2,654	\$ 447,325

The breakdown between deposits and investments is as follows:

	<u>Primary Government</u>
Bank Deposits (Checking & Savings Accounts, CDs)	\$ 447,325

The bank balance of the primary government's deposits is \$447,325, of which \$200,000 is covered by federal depository insurance and \$-0- is collateralized with U.S. Treasury securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department in the Township's name.

The GASB Statement 3 risk disclosures for the Local Unit's investments are as follows:

	<u>Category</u>			<u>Carrying Value</u>
	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	
Investments	\$ NONE	\$ NONE	\$ NONE	\$ NONE

The cash and investments that are represented by specific identifiable investment securities are classified as to credit risk by the three categories described below:

Category 1	Insured or registered, or securities held by the Township or its agent in the Township's name.
Category 2	Uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty's trust department or agent in the Township's name.
Category 3	Uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty, or by its trust department or agent but not in the Township's name.

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4. Property Taxes

The Township is responsible for assessing, collecting, and distributing property taxes in accordance with enabling state legislation. Property taxes become a lien on the first day of December of the levy year and must be paid by the following February 14.

Property taxes are recognized in compliance with NCGAI-3 which states that such revenue is recorded when it becomes measurable and available.

The Township levied the following taxes:

General Government Services	<u>0.8412</u>	mills
Road Millage	<u>1.0000</u>	mills

5. Capital Assets

None

6. Deficit Fund Balance or Retained Earnings Balances of Individual Funds

None

7. Interfund Receivables, Payables, & Transfers

During the course of operations, numerous transactions occur between individual funds for goods provided or services rendered. These receivables and payables are classified as "Due from other funds" or "Due to other funds" on the balance sheet. The amounts of interfund receivables and payables are as follows:

	<u>Due From Other Funds</u>		<u>Due To Other Funds</u>
General Fund	\$ 2,073	T&A - Tax Collection	\$ 2,073
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	<u>15,325</u>	General Fund	<u>15,325</u>
Total	<u>\$ 17,398</u>		<u>\$ 17,398</u>

Interfund Transfers reported in the Fund Statements are as follows:

	<u>Operating Transfers In</u>		<u>Operating Transfers Out</u>
Park Fund	\$ 2,450	General Fund	\$ 2,450
General Fund	614	Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	614

8. Post Employment Benefits

The Township does not provide any post employment benefits.

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9. Deferred Compensation

The Township offers its employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with IRC Section 457. The assets of the plan were held in trust, as described in IRC Section 457(g) for the exclusive benefit of the participants and their beneficiaries. The custodian thereof of the exclusive benefit of the participants holds the custodial account for the beneficiaries of this Section 457 plan, and the assets may not be diverted to any other use. The Administrators are agents of the employer for purposes of providing direction to the custodian of the custodial account from time to time for the investment of the funds held in the account, transfer of assets to or from the account and all other matters. In accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement 32, plan balances and activities are not reflected in the Township's financial statements.

10. Risk Management

The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors and omissions, employee injuries, as well as medical and workman's compensation benefits provided to employees. The Township has purchased commercial insurance for the various risks of loss stated above.

Settled claims for the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of coverage in any of the past three years. There was no reduction in coverage's obtained through commercial insurance during the past year.

Required Supplemental Information

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Required Supplemental Information
Budgetary Comparison Schedule
General Fund
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

	Original	Amended		Variance
	Budget	Budget		with
Revenues			Actual	Amended
				Budget
Property Taxes	\$ 31,515.00	\$ 31,515.00	\$ 30,942.77	\$ (572.23)
State Shared Revenues	78,000.00	78,000.00	80,169.00	2,169.00
Charges for Services	5,450.00	5,450.00	5,154.71	(295.29)
Interest Earnings	4,900.00	4,900.00	12,177.98	7,277.98
Other Revenues	2,340.00	2,340.00	6,086.99	3,746.99
Total Revenues	122,205.00	122,205.00	134,531.45	12,326.45
Expenditures				
General Government				
Township Board	70,000.00	66,000.00	4,700.33	61,299.67
General Administration	10,000.00	10,000.00	7,931.38	2,068.62
Supervisor	7,810.00	7,810.00	7,713.42	96.58
Elections	75.00	75.00	-	75.00
Assessor	7,668.00	7,668.00	6,055.41	1,612.59
Clerk	11,285.00	11,285.00	8,418.37	2,866.63
Board of Review	2,550.00	2,550.00	2,081.50	468.50
Treasurer	12,185.00	15,485.00	15,402.38	82.62
Township Hall & Grounds	4,600.00	5,150.00	5,148.19	1.81
Cemetery Care	5,850.00	5,850.00	4,320.80	1,529.20
Total General Government	132,023.00	131,873.00	61,771.78	70,101.22
Public Safety				
Fire Protection	26,950.00	27,100.00	27,094.76	5.24
Planning & Zoning	5,870.00	5,870.00	1,735.88	4,134.12
Total Public Safety	32,820.00	32,970.00	28,830.64	4,139.36
Public Works				
Drains at Large	15,000.00	15,000.00	2,232.55	12,767.45
Total Public Works	15,000.00	15,000.00	2,232.55	12,767.45
Total Expenditures	179,843.00	179,843.00	92,834.97	87,008.03
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(57,638.00)	(57,638.00)	41,696.48	(74,681.58)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Transfers In (Out)	200.00	200.00	(1,835.58)	(2,035.58)
Excess of Revenues & Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures & Other Uses	(57,438.00)	(57,438.00)	39,860.90	97,298.90
Fund Balance - Beginning of Year	83,760.00	83,760.00	318,833.87	235,073.87
Fund Balance - End of Year	\$ 26,322.00	\$ 26,322.00	\$ 358,694.77	\$ 332,372.77

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Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Park Fund
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

	Original Budget	Amended Budget	Actual	Variance with Amended Budget
<u>Revenues</u>				
County Shared Park	\$ 4,100.00	\$ 4,100.00	\$ 4,501.10	\$ 401.10
Interest Earnings	300.00	300.00	894.13	594.13
<u>Total Revenues</u>	4,400.00	4,400.00	5,395.23	995.23
<u>Expenditures</u>				
Recreation & Culture	-	-	2,450.00	(2,450.00)
<u>Total Expenditures</u>	-	-	2,450.00	(2,450.00)
<u>Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures</u>	4,400.00	4,400.00	2,945.23	(1,454.77)
<u>Other Financing Sources</u>				
Operating Transfers In (Out)	-	-	2,450.00	(2,450.00)
<u>Excess of Revenues & Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures & Other Uses</u>	4,400.00	4,400.00	5,395.23	(3,904.77)
<u>Fund Balance - Beginning of Year</u>	28,209.00	28,209.00	26,864.43	(1,344.57)
<u>Fund Balance - End of Year</u>	\$ 32,609.00	\$ 32,609.00	\$ 32,259.66	\$ (5,249.34)

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Budgetary Comparison Schedule
Road Fund
For The Year Ended March 31, 2006

	Original Budget	Amended Budget	Actual	Variance with Amended Budget
<u>Revenues</u>				
Road Millage	\$ 32,172.00	\$ 32,172.00	\$ 36,785.17	\$ 4,613.17
Interest Earnings	305.00	305.00	1,007.54	702.54
<u>Total Revenues</u>	<u>32,477.00</u>	<u>32,477.00</u>	<u>37,792.71</u>	<u>5,315.71</u>
<u>Expenditures</u>				
Road Maintenance	<u>72,930.00</u>	<u>72,930.00</u>	<u>34,680.71</u>	<u>38,249.29</u>
<u>Total Expenditures</u>	<u>72,930.00</u>	<u>72,930.00</u>	<u>34,680.71</u>	<u>38,249.29</u>
<u>Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures</u>	<u>(40,453.00)</u>	<u>(40,453.00)</u>	<u>3,112.00</u>	<u>43,565.00</u>
<u>Other Financing Sources</u>				
Operating Transfers In (Out)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Excess of Revenues & Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures & Other Uses</u>	<u>(40,453.00)</u>	<u>(40,453.00)</u>	<u>3,112.00</u>	<u>43,565.00</u>
<u>Fund Balance - Beginning of Year</u>	<u>42,930.00</u>	<u>42,930.00</u>	<u>45,625.75</u>	<u>2,695.75</u>
<u>Fund Balance - End of Year</u>	<u>\$ 2,477.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,477.00</u>	<u>\$ 48,737.75</u>	<u>\$ 46,260.75</u>

Other Supplemental Information

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Other Supplemental Information
Combining Statement of Net Assets
Fiduciary Funds
March 31, 2006

	Pension & Other Trust Funds			Agency
	Cemetery Perpetual Care			Fund
	Expendable	Nonexpendable		Tax
	Trust	Trust	Totals	Collection
				Fund
<u>Assets</u>				
Cash & Certificate of Deposit	\$ -	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 2,253.62
Due From Other Funds	-	15,325.00	15,325.00	-
<u>Total Assets</u>	-	15,725.00	15,725.00	2,253.62
<u>Liabilities & Fund Balance</u>				
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Due To Other Funds	-	-	-	2,072.92
Due To Others	-	-	-	180.70
<u>Total Liabilities</u>	-	-	-	\$ 2,253.62
<u>Net Assets</u>				
Held in Trust for Cemetery Perpetual Care	-	15,725.00	15,725.00	
Unreserved - Undesignated	-	-	-	
<u>Total Liabilities & Net Assets</u>	\$ -	\$ 15,725.00	\$ 15,725.00	

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Combining Statement of Changes in Net Assets
Fiduciary Funds
March 31, 2006

	Pension & Other Trust Funds		
	Cemetery Perpetual Care		
	Expendable Trust	Nonexpendable Trust	Totals
<u>Additions</u>			
Interest Income - Perpetual Care	\$ 614.42	\$ -	\$ 614.42
Sale of Lots - Perpetual Care	-	400.00	400.00
<u>Total Additions</u>	614.42	400.00	1,014.42
<u>Deductions</u>			
Contribution To (From) Other Funds	614.42	-	614.42
<u>Total Deductions</u>	614.42	-	614.42
<u>Net Increase</u>	-	400.00	400.00
<u>Net Assets - Beginning of Year</u>	-	15,325.00	15,325.00
<u>Net Assets - End of Year</u>	\$ -	\$ 15,725.00	\$ 15,725.00